

Results of Enforcement Before the Full Commission – March 24, 2004

Enforcement Hearings Before the Full Commission

1. **Washington State Nurses Association PAC, Case #04-420**
Results: The Commission accepted a Stipulation of Facts, Violations and Penalty and found that the Respondent committed multiple violations of RCW 42.17.080 and .090 by failing to timely file Monetary Contribution reports (PDC form C-3) and Summary Reports of Receipts and Expenditures (PDC form C-4). In addition, the Respondent was found in violation of RCW 42.17.103 by failing to timely file a special report (PDC form C-6) within 24 hours of sponsoring political advertisement that qualified as an independent expenditure, that was distributed within 21 day of the 2002 election, and cost \$1,000 or more. Monetary contributions received totaled \$58,006 and monetary expenditures made totaled \$41,781. Contributions made to candidates and independent expenditures totaled \$12,165. Activities occurred between January 1, 1999 and December 31, 2003.
Assessed penalty: \$5,000, with \$2,500 suspended on the condition that the Respondent commits no violations of RCW 42.17 for a period of four years.
2. **Grays Harbor County Democratic Central Committee, Case #04-421**
Results: The Commission accepted a Stipulation of Facts, Violations and Penalty and found that the Respondent committed multiple violations of RCW 42.17.080 and .090 by failing to timely file Monetary Contribution reports (PDC form C-3) and Summary Reports of Receipts and Expenditures (PDC form C-4). Contributions received totaled \$60,881 and expenditures made totaled \$52,327. Contributions to candidates and committees totaled \$11,800. Activities occurred between January 1, 1999 and October 27, 2003.
Assessed penalty: \$5,000, with \$2,500 suspended on the condition that the Respondent commits no violations of RCW 42.17 for a period of four years.